



Patent
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In re the Application of:

Group Art Unit: 2812

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Examiner: Stacy Whitmore

Serial No.: 09/514,674

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**For: AUTOMATED METHOD AND
SYSTEM FOR SELECTING AND
PROCURING ELECTRONIC
COMPONENTS USED IN CIRCUIT AND
CHIP DESIGNS**

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment and Response to Office Action for the above-identified application.

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- ☐ Applicant(s) petitions for an extension of time under 37 CFR § 1.136 [fees: 37 CFR § 1.17(a)(1)-(5)] for the total number of months checked below:

EXTENSION (months)	FEE FOR SMALL ENTITY	FEE FOR OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY
1 month	<input type="checkbox"/> \$55.00	<input type="checkbox"/> \$110.00
2 months	<input type="checkbox"/> \$200.00	<input type="checkbox"/> \$400.00
3 months	<input type="checkbox"/> \$460.00	<input type="checkbox"/> \$920.00
4 months	<input type="checkbox"/> \$720.00	<input type="checkbox"/> \$1,440.00
5 months	<input type="checkbox"/> \$980.00	<input type="checkbox"/> \$1,960.00

- ☐ An extension for _____ months has already been secured and the fee paid therefor of _____ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.
- ☐ Extension fee due with this Request _____.
- ☒ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

FEES FOR CLAIMS:

- ☐ Applicant claims small entity status pursuant to 37 CFR 1.27.

The fees for claims (37 CFR § 1.16(b)-(d)) have been calculated as shown below:

Total Claims	-	20	=	0	x	\$18.00	\$0.00
Independent Claims	-	3	=	0	x	\$84.00	\$0.00
Multiple Dependent Claims	\$280	(if applicable)				<input type="checkbox"/>	\$0.00
TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS							\$0.00
Reduction by ½ for Filing by Small Entity. Note 37 CFR §§ 1.9, 1.27, 1.28.						<input type="checkbox"/>	\$0.00
TOTAL FEES FOR CLAIMS SUBMITTED HEREWITH							\$0.00

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Respectfully submitted,

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